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In re Application of:

Florent PICARD et al.

Examiner: Prem C. Singh

Serial No.: 10/705,868

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Title: PROCESS FOR DESULFURIZATION COMJPRISING A STAGE FOR  
SELECTIVE HYDROGENATION OF DIOLEFINS AND A STAGE FOR  
EXTRACTION OF SULFUR-CONTAINING COMPOUNDS

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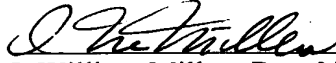
According to the French Search Report, French patent 88312 is pertinent with respect to page 1 left hand column lines 1-5; page 1 left hand column lines 18-29; page 1 right hand column lines 6-10 and page 1 right hand column lines 17-21.

With respect to the patent abstract of Japan, the French Search Report states that the abstract in its entirety is pertinent.

The fee for the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is attached.

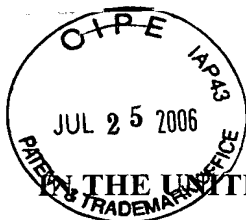
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ligne - line; revendications - claims; colonne - column; exemples- examples  
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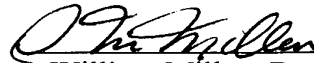
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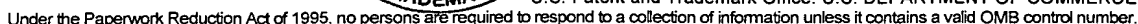


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